

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of:  
Gotz-Ekkehard Sapper et al.

Group Art Unit: 1796

Serial No.: 10/512,035

Examiner: Vickey Marie Nerangis

Filed: October 20, 2004

Confirmation No.: 2224

For: AQUEOUS PIGMENT PASTES  
CONTAINING MICA PIGMENTS AND  
THE USE THEREOF FOR  
PRODUCING AQUEOUS,  
DECORATIVE-EFFECT COATINGS

I hereby certify that the attached correspondence is  
being submitted by EFS-Web as an eFiled  
Response, addressed to Mail Stop AF,  
Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450,  
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450, on Thursday,  
October 8, 2009.

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**AMENDMENT UNDER 37. CFR §1.111**

Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

**INTRODUCTORY REMARKS**

This is in response to the outstanding Advisory Action of September 10, 2009.  
Reconsideration is respectfully requested in view of the following amendments and  
remarks.

The shortened statutory period for response expired on September 24, 2009.  
Accordingly, Applicant hereby petitions under 37 CFR 1.136 or other applicable rule to  
have the response period extended one month in order to have the instant communication  
timely entered. A Petition for a One-Month Extension of Time is also attached hereto.  
The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge to Deposit Account 06-1130 the  
necessary extension fees identified in the attached Petition and any other fees necessary  
for entry of this amendment.

Please make the following amendments to the Application as set forth below.